

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Replace the paragraph at page 1, line 1 with the following amended paragraph:

~~Specification~~

Replace the paragraph at page 1, line 9 with the following amended paragraph:

~~Background Art~~ Of The Invention

Replace the paragraphs at page 1, lines 21-22 with the following amended paragraphs:

~~Disclosure Of Invention~~

~~(Problem To Be Solved By The Invention)~~

Replace the paragraph at page 2, line 25 with the following amended paragraph

~~(Means For Solving The Problem)~~ Summary of the Invention

Replace the paragraph at page 6, line 21 with the following amended paragraph

~~(Effect Of The Invention)~~

Replace the paragraphs at page 5, lines 2-5 with the following amended paragraphs:

Figs. 1(A)-1(D) ~~are is-a views~~ showing the structure of means for selectively forming a region having affinity for liquid on a liquid-repellent surface.

Figs. 2(A)-2(D) ~~are is-a views~~ showing the structure of means for selective forming a groove on a surface having affinity for liquid.

Replace the paragraph at page 5, line 12 with the following amended paragraph:

Figs.6(A)-6(B) are is-a views showing a plasma processing port and a drop discharge port.

Replace the paragraphs at page 5, lines 15-20 with the following amended paragraphs:

Figs.8(A)-8(D) are is-a sectional views for explaining a process of manufacturing a display apparatus in this invention.

Figs.9(A)-9(D) are is-a sectional views for explaining the process of manufacturing a display apparatus in this invention.

Figs.10(A)-10(D) are is-a sectional views for explaining the process of manufacturing a display apparatus in this invention.

Replace the paragraphs at page 13, line 25 - page 14, line 7 with the following amended paragraphs:

Figs.13(A)-13(C) are is-a views showing an embodiment of the display apparatus in this invention.

Figs.14(A)-14(C) are is-a views showing an example of means for filling an opening with a drop composition according to this invention.

Figs.15(A)-15(C) are is-a views showing an example of means for filling an opening with a drop composition according to this invention.

Figs.16(A)-16(C) are is-a views showing an example of means for filling an opening with a drop composition according to this invention.

Replace the paragraph at page 6, line 10 with the following amended paragraph:

~~Best Mode for Carrying Out the Invention~~ Detailed Description of the Presently Preferred

Embodiments